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1. PRESS DEC 1 HEADLINED PRESIDENT CARTER'S ANNOUNCEMENT THAT U.S. WILL PARTICIPATE IN CAIRO PRE-GENEVA CONFERENCE, WITH DELEGATION HEADED BY ASSTSEC ATHERTON. PAPERS NOTED PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT THAT CONFERENCE EXPECTED BEGIN AROUND MID-DECEMBER AND QUOTED DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN AS FIXING DATE "IN NEIGHBORHOOD OF DEC 13 OR 14". (PRESS JUXTAPOSED ABOVE TO EARLIER GOE ANNOUNCEMENT THAT EGYPT PREPARED HOST CONFERENCE BEGINNING DEC 3. GOE, ITSELF, HAS YET PUBLICLY TO FIX STARTING DATE.)
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2. USSR. USSR OFFICIALLY INFORMED GOE NOV 30 THAT IT WILL NOT ATTEND CONFERENCE. SOVIET AMBASSADOR POLYAKOV TOLD ACTING FONMIN BUTROS GHALI THAT USSR PREFERS HAVE GENEVA RECONVENED WITHOUT PREPARATORY MEETING. PRESS QUOTES GHALI AS "REGRETING" SOVIET STAND, WHILE "WONDERING" WHY SOVIET UNION, IF IT WANTS GENEVA CONFERENCE, SHOULD IMPEDE PREPARATIONS FOR THIS. PRESS NOTED THAT SYRIA, LEBANON,

AND PLO HAVE NOT YET GIVEN OFFICIAL REPLIES. MFA SOURCE CONFIRMED THAT ONLY INVITE WENT TO PALESTINIAN LEADERSHIP IN BEIRUT ADDRESSED TO YASSER ARAFAT.

3. LOCAL AMERICAN CORRESPONDENT REPORTS GHALI TOLD PRESS TODAY THAT GOE WOULD HOLD DOOR OPEN FOR FURTHER PARTICIPANTS IN CAIRO MEETING UNTIL DEC 10 TO PERMIT SYRIA, LEBANON AND PALESTINIAN LEADERSHIP TO RESPOND OFFICIALLY TO GOE INVITATION. EILTS

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